



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5525**

LCO No. 1254



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

REP. KLARIDES, 114<sup>th</sup> Dist.  
REP. CANDELORA, 86<sup>th</sup> Dist.  
REP. O'DEA, 125<sup>th</sup> Dist.

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REP. KOKORUDA, 101<sup>st</sup> Dist.  
REP. ZUPKUS, 89<sup>th</sup> Dist.

***AN ACT CONCERNING ACCOUNTABILITY FOR THE EARNED RISK  
REDUCTION CREDIT PROGRAM.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 18-98e of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 that (1) an inmate adhere to his or her offender accountability plan in
- 3 order to earn risk reduction credits, (2) failure by an inmate to adhere
- 4 to their offender accountability plan shall result in the loss of earned
- 5 risk reduction credits, (3) an inmate shall not be awarded risk
- 6 reduction credits for participation in an eligible program until
- 7 successfully completing such programs, and (4) any inmate who tests
- 8 positive for drug use shall lose all earned risk reduction credits.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To require that inmates adhere to their offender accountability plans and actively participate in eligible programming in order to earn risk reduction credits.